

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

Date

: March 14, 2006

TO

: Director, Office of Patent Publication

FROM

: Office of the Deputy Commissioner for Patent Examination Policy

SUBJECT

: Withdrawal from Issue of Application No. 10/808,704

Applicant(s)

: Philippe C. Sarrazin et al

Application No. : 10/808,704

Filed

: March 17, 2004

The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 7,019,823 and an issue date of March 28, 2006.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant. Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of March 28, 2006:

"All reference to Patent No. 7,019,823 to Philippe C. Sarrazin et al of California for POWDER HANDLING DEVICE FOR ANALYTICAL INSTRUMENTS appearing in the Official Gazette of March 28, 2006 should be deleted since no patent was granted."

Petitions Examiner Office of Petitions

cc:

Paul Harrison Deneise Boyd

Mary Louise McAskill

Niomi Farmer

Mary E. Johnson (Cookie

Duane Davis (CDS) Tamara K. Greene